

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **YAMAGUCHI, Katsumi, et al.**

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Serial No.: **10/551,356**

Examiner: **VAN, Quang T.**

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For. **METAL JET APPARATUS AND JET METHOD**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: August 5, 2011

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 22, 2011, for one month, from July 22, 2011, to August 22, 2011.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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